FSC-58-A	3/19/97		
SUBJECT:	DORAL May POS Changeover		
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X ROM		RETAIL REP	

A full workplan POS changeover for DORAL is scheduled for completion during May 1997 normal coverage (moved from April to May). Crisp execution of this changeover is essential to continue building a "Big Brand" presence at retail and to cement DORAL's position as the quality leader of the savings segment.

Below are the retail presence objectives for the May DORAL changeover:

- 1. Replace <u>all</u> existing DORAL workplan POS with new DORAL workplan POS in pack and carton outlets.
- Create dominant "Big Brand" image by maximizing placement of DORAL POS in prominent and unobstructed positions at retail. (Do not obstruct header cards/transparencies with starburst, wobblers, etc. See Attachment A for example of 9-tray display.)
- 3. Effectively deliver DORAL's positioning at retail, via printing three different brand messages on channel strips, extended channel strips, and pricing pasters:
 - "Now in Box"
 - "America's Best Selling Value Brand"
 - "Premium Taste, or Your Money Back"
 - Each 6-tray, 9-tray, or System III display should feature three different benefit messages.
 - · Pasters will be printed randomly rotating each of the three messages. Place pasters as normal.

Additional Information Needed:

Please order roll dial pricer cards and 6 and 9-tray display side cards by April 14 so they can be changed during normal coverage in May. Roll dial pricer cards are to be placed under the plastic shield of the roll dial pricer. Side cards are to be placed on the outside of each tray on the 6 and 9-tray displays. Order one roll dial pricer card and six side cards per 6 or 9-tray display.

Description	<u>item #</u>
Roll Dial Pricer Card	530141
6 and 9-Tray Display Side Card	530144

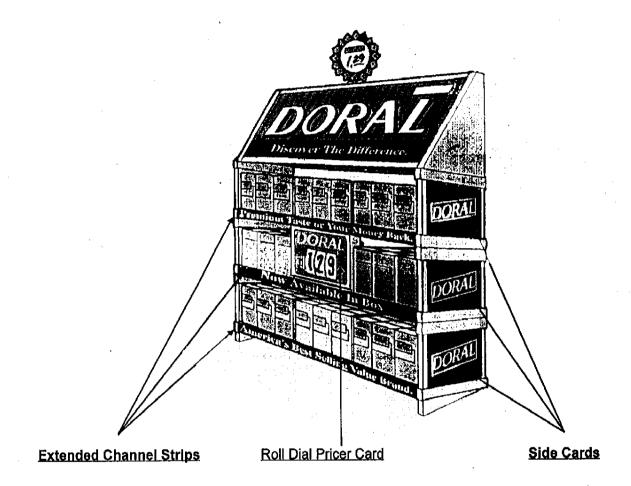
All DORAL POS kits for the May changeover are scheduled to be shipped to Retail Reps the week of 4/14/97. Quantities were based on the information you submitted to your ROU last November (see Attachment B for specific POS item number of individual pieces).

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DORAL Workplan POS Items

Item #	SKU Pack	Item Description	
DORAL Tran	sparencles		
523700	1	24" Enhanced Canopy Transparency	
523703	1	Large Package Merchandiser Transparency	
523712	1	28" Canopy Transparency	
523715	1	36" Enhanced Canopy Transparency	
523730	1	19" Canopy Transparency	
523832	1	Large PPD Transparency	
523823	1	20-Column Transparency	
DORAL Pape	r Pieces		
523721	1	28" Canopy Card	
523763	1	19" Canopy Card	
523724	1	Large Package Merchandiser Card	
523745	1	Small Package Merchandiser Card	
523754	1	12" Header Card	
523772	1	Small PPD Card	
523760	1	Extended Channel Strip	
523781	1	Folded Shelf Strip	
523751	1	Channel Strip	
523820	1	Large PPD Card	
530141	1	Roll Dial Pricer Card	
530144	1	6 & 9 Tray Side Card	
523790	1	Small Vertical Paster	
523793	1	Large Paster	
523802	1	Extra Large Paster	
528350	1	One Sheet Paster w/o Area For Pricing Mechanism	
528662	1	One Sheet Paster with Area For Pricing Mechanism	
523784	1	Pack Starburst	
523775	1	Carton Starburst	
523805	1	Special Offer Dump Bin Riser Card	
523811	1	Special Offer Counter Riser Card	
523814	1	Special Offer 24" Package Merchandiser Card	